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C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 1028

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MASS, SU
SUBJECT: LOCKHEED LONG RANGE SUPPORT AGREEMENT WITH SUDAN

REF: (A) KHARTOUM 882 (B) STATE 55487

1. THERE APPEARS TO BE DISAGREEMENT WITHIN SUDANGOV
OVER WHETHER TO ENTER INTO SEPARATE LONG RANGE SUPPORT
AGREEMENT WITH LOCKHEED. MAJOR DANSBY INFORMED US THAT
HIS AIR FORCE CONTACTS ARE TOTALLY UNAWARE OF ACTION PRO-
POSED IN DR. BAHA AL-DIN'S LETTER OF FEBRUARY 20 (REF A).
DCM DISCUSSED QUESTION WITH DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF
MAJOR GENERAL ABDEL MAGID HAMID KHALIL MARCH 8. GENERAL
MAGID OBVIOUSLY HAD NOT RPT NOT BEEN AWARE OF LETTER EITHER.

2. GENERAL MAGID SAID THAT AS FAR AS SUDANESE MILITARY
ARE CONCERNED THEY WISH TO CONTINUE PRESENT ARRANGEMENT
WITH USG AND THEY DO NOT RPT NOT WISH TO DEAL DIRECTLY
WITH LOCKHEED OR OTHER NON-USG ENTITY. HE ACKNOWLEDGED
THAT DR. BAHA'S LETTER RAISES QUESTION ABOUT SUDANGOV
POLICY ON THIS ISSUE. NOTING THAT MINISTER DEFENSE
PRESENTLY OUT OF COUNTRY, HE RECOMMENDS THAT AMBAS-
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SADOR DISCUSS SUBJECT WITH MINISTER NEXT WEEK AFTER
WHICH MINDEF CAN REVIEW POLICY QUESTIONS WITH DR. BAHA
AND PRESUMABLY NIMEIRI AS WELL.

3. COMMENT: EVIDENTLY DR. BAHA SENT LETTER WITHOUT
INFORMING SUDANESE MILITARY. CLEARLY THERE IS DIVISION
OF OPINION WITHIN SUDANGOV AND THEREFORE WE PROPOSE

TO TAKE NO RPT NO ACTION UNTIL AFTER AMBASSADOR SEES
MINDEF AND SUDANESE THEMSELVES HAVE CLARIFIED THEIR
DESIRES.
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